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UNITED STATES
ENVIRONMENTAL
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AGENCY

Kettleman Hills Facility Permitting Process

WASTE MANAGEMENT, INC. • KETTLEMAN HILLS FACILITY

US EPA Permitting for TSCA PCB Disposal/Storage/Transfer

**Application Received
for a Permit Renewal**

Application Reviewed:

- Does application meet regulatory requirements?

**Evaluation for Protectiveness of
Human Health & the Environment**

- What are effects on Human Health?
- What are effects on endangered species?
- What are effects on cultural resources?

**Proposed Decision to
Issue or Deny the Permit**

**Public Notice of
Proposed Decision**

Public Comment Period:

- Written Comments
- Public Hearing
- Community Workshops

**Public Comments
Reviewed for Consideration**

**Final Permit Decision &
Response to Public Comments**

DTSC Permitting for Hazardous Waste Disposal

**Application Received for
a Permit Modification**

**Public Comment Period on the
Permit Application (Facility)**

Application Reviewed:

- Does application meet regulatory requirements?

**Proposed Decision and Draft
Environmental Review Analysis**

Approve / Deny

**Public Notice of
Proposed Decision**

Public Comment Period (DTSC):

- Written Comments
- Public Comments
- Public Hearing/Community Workshop

**Public Comments
Reviewed for Consideration**

**Issued: Final Permit Decision and
Final Environmental Analysis**

**Public Permit Appeal Period
for the Final Decision**

Final Permit Appeal Decision